GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
RAILWAYS
LOK SABHA

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Expansion of Additional Platforms
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Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) the norms for fixation of number of platforms at large railway stations; and
(b) whether the Government proposes to identify and expand platforms at various stations including Lucknow and if so, the details thereof?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS
(SHRI RAJEN GOHAIN)
(a): Number of platforms at large stations is decided on a need-based manner.
(b): Identification and expansion of platforms at various stations on Indian Railways is a continuous process based on the volume of train services dealt at the station, operational requirement, technical feasibility, land availability, commercial justification and fund availability.
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